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### THE MAIFEST CROWDS

The Third Day's Festivities Closing with a Grand Concert and Ball.

Crowds Throng the Pavilion Park from Midday till Midnight—Children's Day—The Pyrotechnic Display a Brilliant Success.

Clear skies ushered in another day of the Maifest celebration. It was the brightest day of the festival and the best. A fresh breeze blew southward across the pavilion grounds and imparted a zest of enjoyment to everything.

The children were on the grounds early, and the amusements prepared for them were very popular. Youth and age became mixed up rather promiscuously, and it was occasionally difficult to say whether gray hairs or golden were the younger. The children were greatly in the majority, however, and monopolized the morning and afternoon sports.

Yesterday afternoon while some of the sports were in preparation the management of the Maifest got together and finally decided to continue the festival over Sunday and up to Come home Monday night. They have thought it advisable to do this on several grounds, the principal one being the total loss of the first day, occasioned by the rain. This had been under discussion before, but the beautiful weather and promise of yesterday finally settled the matter and the Maifest will close Monday night. The award of the prizes, however, which are on exhibition at the pavilion, was made last night according to the programme. This was thought proper, in consideration to those who had already cast their votes, although the contest would have been more interesting if it could have been prolonged until the end of the festival.

The games as published took place and were the center of a great deal of attraction. Various sports not on the programme were in progress all the day and soon after dinner those of more importance came off. The judges of the games and awards were Rev. Mr. Baumann, J. J. Garrett, P. H. Tansey, C. E. Schmidt, Rudolph Kuhn and Don B. Adams. The latter gentleman was starter and Mr. Tansey was judge of the finish. Rev. Mr. Baumann made the awards with appropriate little speeches.

The first race was the egg race for the girls. In this Misses Rosa Gulden, Laura Mayer, Luella Wood, Minnie Hoffman, Annie Hoffman and Amelia Schaefer participated. Miss Minnie Hoffman and Laura Mayer were first and second respectively.

In the fox-hole hunt, first heat, Geo. Dampers took the first; second heat, Pont Lovins; and third heat, Ed Kuhn won first and Tom Jones second prize.

The climbing of the greased pole excited a good deal of interest, and the candidates were numerous, for a full baseball outfit was the prize. A good many came within a few inches of the prize only to sink back exhausted. Ernest Cartwright was finally victor and Charles Thompson came in for second.

The climbing was tried again, but also competitors were running the top, and it was discontinued.

The wheelbarrow race was run blindfolded and was the source of a great deal of fun. Tom Blair and Ernest Cartwright were declared first and second.

In the sack race Ernest Cartwright came in ahead of Minnie Poley, David Dawkins second and third.

Little Bernice Newlin and Stella Edington won the two firsts in the little girls' races and each were awarded elegant music boxes.

The misses race was said to be one of the most attractive events of the day, and the contestants were numerous. Among those who participated were Stella Meyer, Minnie Hoffman, Leona Mendel, Rosa Pollard, Mammie Spencer, Lora Letchworth, Jessie Spencer, Josephine Gulden, Carrie Rosenfeld, Minnie Adams, Carrie Beaton, Viola Poley, Gertie O'Leary, Rosa Gulden, Sophronie Stivers, May Morgan, Lena Hain, Laura Mayer, Amelia Meyer, Louise Barnhardt, Anna Kuhn, Mollie Kuhn, Jennie Gels, Mattie Desha, Nellie Klug, Lucille King, Anna Hyberger, Jessie Chambers, Stella Hochstetler, Rosa Stewens, Bernice Newlin, Minnie Poley, Della Hestfeldt and Emma Hoffman. Miss Viola Poley received the first prize, which was a complete set of evening parlor games, and Lena Mendel took the second.

With the capture of the greased pole and a rattling game of football the sports of the day were closed. The whole time had been filled with enjoyment for the fester and there was hardly a quiet person on the grounds.

At 8:30 o'clock the strains of the grand promenade floated out over the park and called in the wanderers. Before the march was over the pavilion was circled round and round with promenade. It seemed as if the strains had reached the city for soon after the people began to pour into the grounds in crowds. A walk was struck up and the hill was fairly under way. From that time on until time was called, it took but a moment to cover the floor with light feet. The number that attended last

### IN UNION IS STRENGTH.

The Pushers of Fort Worth Act on the Reliable Adage.

A Board of Trade Organized Which Starts Out Under Favorable Conditions—A Strong Roster—The Old Fort Worth Spirit.

The magnificent board of trade chamber in the magnificent board of trade building was opened yesterday evening for the first time by a gathering which promises to be rich with beneficial results to this city.

It was the old spirit of Fort Worth that filled the chamber—the same spirit that made Fort Worth the railroad center of the great state of Texas—that in thirteen years reared a city of 85,000 people where there had been but a few hundred, that has made the name of Fort Worth synonymous with push and energy throughout the whole country.

There were about seventy-five citizens, all prominent in the city's enterprises, met in obedience to the call to organize a board of trade. The proceedings were harmonious throughout.

When the object of the meeting had been stated by Mr. M. B. Lloyd, Major K. M. Van Zandt was elected temporary chairman, and W. M. Bearinger, secretary.

The following was read as the report of the committee appointed at the recent meeting held at the Spring Palace office: Mr. Chairman—We your committee recommend an organization to be called the Fort Worth board of trade, with a board of directors to consist of fifteen members. The officers shall be a first, second and third vice president, secretary and treasurer all to be chosen by the directors.

[Signed] J. C. MCCARTHY, A. W. CASWELL, ROBERT MCCART, T. B. BURBRIDGE. The following list was read as the names of those who had signed the roll of membership, each agreeing to pay \$100 initiation fee and \$10 per month thereafter:

B. B. Paddock, T. B. Burbridge, Robert McCarthy, J. C. McCarthy, H. C. Caswell, W. Glen Walker, Howard W. Peak, George B. Hendricks, John W. Wray, A. B. Smith, C. Y. McClelland, E. M. Wynne, Sydney Martin, E. E. Chase, W. R. Moore, Martin Casey, C. O. Barron, Wallace Hendricks, E. O. Wright, W. S. Heaton, H. G. Lee & Co., C. H. Silliman, E. E. Powell, W. J. Bailey, H. W. Tallant, Hyde Jennings, G. E. Johnson & Co., Frank S. Stanley, Frank L. Twombly, John C. Ryan, H. C. Tully, A. T. Byers, James Ryan & Co., R. N. Hatcher, T. J. August, Max Elser, T. J. Hurley, John F. Swayne, J. P. Smith, Smith, Mead & Co., K. M. VanZandt, T. M. Andrews, John S. Andrews, J. F. Ellis, Imboden & Hamilton, R. H. Sellers, W. F. Summerville, A. W. Caswell, C. E. Post, Jere J. Roche, A. A. Green, Jr., E. M. Walker, J. P. Tierney, A. J. Roe, W. S. Marshall, W. L. Malone, McAnulty & Nesbitt, W. M. Harrison, Judd Boyd, George L. Hurley, William Z. Mauchester, Wayne & Crane, W. F. Lake, A. M. Carter, W. S. Pendleton, M. G. Ellis, M. B. Lloyd, W. V. Newlin.

It was decided after some balloting to organize on a basis of a board of fifteen directors, who should elect president and vice-presidents, treasurer and executive committee.

The following board of directors was chosen: K. M. Van Zandt, Sydney Martin, George Hendricks, Martin Casey, B. B. Paddock, W. L. Malone, T. J. Hurley, J. C. McCarthy, A. W. Caswell, Robert McCarthy, T. B. Burbridge, M. B. Lloyd, Jere Roche, J. Peter Smith, E. E. Chase.

After arranging some details as to the meeting of the board of directors on Monday evening, the meeting was adjourned.

Upon looking over the ballots cast after adjournment had been taken, it was discovered that Mr. H. W. Tallant had received a greater number of votes than Mr. E. E. Chase, and the substitution of his name on the board of directors will no doubt be made at the next meeting.

The new organization starts out on a financial basis, with a determination to make it a success without in the mind of each of the members, and there are indications that its usefulness will be felt in the near future.

A Villainous Negro.

WATERBURY, CONN., May 3.—Arthur Jackson, colored, of Bristol, while drunk last night about 2 o'clock went to the Bristol house, where his wife is waitress, and demanded that she go home. At first he made her hold a light while he killed his dog with an ax, then with a razor he cut his wife's throat so horribly she cannot live and also cut off several of her fingers. But for the arrival of

### FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Dr. Parker Assailed.

Special to the Gazette.

LONDON, May 3.—The Baptist press is assailing Dr. Parker for his letter to Mr. Spurgeon, the particulars of which was cabled THE GAZETTE last week. The letter is denounced as destitute of good feeling, with false assumption of brotherliness and good intention. It is spoken of as an onslaught upon the enemy while keeping up a seeming honesty of critical judgment. It is described as an attempt to sully the honor of a man while at the same time calling him brother.

In Possession of a City.

BARCELONA, May 3.—The strikers held complete possession of this city yesterday for a time. They stopped tram cars, threw one from the tracks and smashed it to pieces. Bodies of strikers proceeded to various printing offices throughout the city and by threats compelled compositors to leave their work. In consequence no newspapers were published yesterday. Placards have been scattered broadcast urging the strikers to pillage the city. Mounted police charged the rioters, but the latter related and attacked the police, finally compelling them to retire. In the evening three regiments arrived in the city. The governor issued a proclamation threatening death to any of the strikers who interfered with the liberty of men who are willing to work. The mob became cowed at the firm attitude of the authorities and the presence of the military and slowly dispersed.

Cable Notes.

BERLIN, May 3.—The court at Weimar has sentenced a rich man named Doberlein to nine months imprisonment for insulting an American lady, Miss Lemmer, by sending to her an anonymous letter accusing her of immorality. The offender was an American until the American consul insisted that the authorities should take action in the matter.

LONDON, May 3.—An interview was had to-night with Gen. Boulanger at his hotel on the Isle of Jersey. The general said he had no intention of returning to France at present.

BARCELONA, May 3.—Midnight.—The strikers assembled to-night in thousands. The troops endeavored to disperse them, but were met with stout resistance. Several revolvers were fired at the soldiers, who replied with a volley. The mob was then charged and scattered at the point of the bayonet. Three of the strikers were shot and seriously wounded. Many arrests were made. A striker was sentenced to imprisonment for life at hard labor to-day for wounding a policeman. Five others were sentenced to ten years confinement each at hard labor for attempting to prevent others from working.

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The Artist's Touch.

During the rounds of a GAZETTE reporter yesterday he dropped in the Merchants' national bank, where extensive improvements to the whole interior and exterior have been made.

Mr. E. F. Christie has frescoed the ceiling and tinted the walls in a manner that is most pleasing and attractive. What impressed the reporter most of all was the skill displayed in the coloring. There is a softness of tone and yet a brilliancy of effect that shows at once that Mr. Christie is at home with his brush and palette. A glance at this work will suggest to your mind what his capabilities are should the case demand it. He is the gentleman who did Mr. Thomas A. Tidball's elegant new residence.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Tidball are both loud in their praises of Mr. Christie's work, and say he has done far more than his contract called for, and cheerfully recommend him.

E. E. Chase has also employed him to fresco and decorate his residence.

Mr. Christie does work all over, and wants his business men in every town in Texas to write him for information and estimates on opera houses, offices, banks, churches and private residences, as no modern decorations are complete without paper mache and plasterwork. He uses them also, and tints them to harmonize with the architecture. Any communication addressed to him at Fort Worth will find him.

An Alleged Horse Thief Arrested.

Special to the Gazette.

WINSBORO, TEX., May 3.—About 6 o'clock this morning B. F. Russell and J. A. McKay, of Hopkins county, passed through this place in pursuit of a horse thief. They were joined by Constable W. H. Stokes, and about six miles east of here they overtook the thief, eating breakfast at a farmer's house. He had in his possession two black horses, one of them belonging to Mr. Russell. The thief gave his name as George Fredericks. Description of the other horse: Black, about twelve years old, fifteen and a half hands high, branded T E or T F on left shoulder, some wire or rope marks on left hind leg; paces.

### LOCALITIES.

Special to the Gazette.

Baptism of infants occurs at the Cumberland Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock to-day.

The regular weekly institute of the teachers met in the high school yesterday forenoon.

"Calls to the Infinite" will be the subject at the Unitarian church this morning at 11 o'clock.

John P. King and "Sam" Butler, deserted the courthouse yesterday for a picnic at Mansfield.

The instrumental musical service at the Unitarian hall at 11 o'clock to-day will consist of a violin solo and a trombone solo.

The enrollment in the public schools for the past week was 1757—787 boys and 970 girls. The percentage in attendance was eighty-eight.

Frank, the infant son of B. F. and Fannie Wallis, died on the morning of May 1, at ten o'clock. The bereaved family have the sympathy of many friends.

Annie M. Johnston, aged twenty years, died at 7:15 yesterday morning. The funeral takes place this afternoon from the corner of Jones and Elizabeth streets.

Died, yesterday evening at 2 o'clock, Willie E., the six-year-old son of W. R. Woodson. Funeral services from residence, 212 North Taylor street this morning at 10 o'clock.

The teachers of the public schools will hold at the closing of this session, oral public examinations in addition to the written examinations. Invitations will be sent out by the teachers. The citizens, especially the parents, are urged to attend these exercises.

Marshal Farmer received a dispatch last night from the chief of police of New Orleans, advising him of the arrest there of H. A. Aldrich, who is wanted here on a charge of embezzling the funds of the Home sewing machine company. Marshal Farmer is also in receipt of a letter from the chief of police of Denver, stating that Aldrich is wanted there for offense against the state of Colorado.

Church Notices.

Broadway Presbyterian church—Rev. Dr. Mitchell, pastor. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Subject of morning service, "The Spiritual Body, or the Scriptural Doctrine of the Resurrection." Prayer meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. Cordial invitation to all.

Unitarian church—Rev. N. Schulz, minister. Meetings at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject this morning: "Calls to the Infinite." Sunday-school at 10 a. m.

Christian Church—Corner Sixth and Throckmold streets. Rev. Joseph DeForest, pastor. Subject in the morning, "The Prayer of Jesus." In the evening, "The Character of Jesus." Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m. All persons are welcome.

Broadway Baptist church—Rev. A. E. Bates, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. Children's service at 2 p. m.

St. Andrew's Episcopal church, Fifth and Bank streets. Rev. Joseph DeForest, Rector. Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; Bible class at the rectory, 3:30 a. m.; morning service and Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; evening service, 8 p. m. Seats free and everybody invited. Baptism of infants at morning service.

First Baptist church—Morning service at 11 a. m. by Dr. Ray of St. Louis. Evening service at 8 p. m. by Mr. Baylis. All welcome. Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; Bible class at the rectory, 3:30 a. m.; morning service and Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; evening service, 8 p. m. Seats free and everybody invited. Baptism of infants at morning service.

First M. E. church South—Will worship to-morrow at the little church on Jones street between First and Second. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "The True Aim of Life." at 8 p. m. subject, "A Fatal Mistake." Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.

Paris.

Special to the Gazette.

PARIS, TEX., May 3.—Judge Boardman will be here to-morrow and will open the United States court on Monday. A large number of murder cases are set for that day.

Hon. Temple Houston of Canadian City is here looking after some cases in the Federal court that were transferred from the Northern district of Texas.

The Farmers' and Merchants' bank of this city had up to last night paid out \$14,000 on witness fees.

The Lamar County Teachers' institute held an interesting session in this city to-day.

A through train left Liberal, Kan., yesterday with witnesses from Stevens county, Kan., in the Cross murder case. The train will pass through Fort Worth in the morning and reach here in the afternoon.

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### PERSONAL.

W. H. Connor of Philadelphia, an old-time friend of Fort Worth, is in the city.

Mr. C. J. Stewart has severed his connection with the Texas and Pacific coal company, at Thurbur, Texas, and returned to Fort Worth to reside.

Mr. Thomas J. Hurley has returned home from the East to stay. Mr. H. is back again to work, for he says there is need of workers. All the South and West are knocking at the purse strings of the East, and the people who want money to promote building must hustle. Mr. Hurley has returned to hustle, and on his return from Denver, whether he was suddenly summoned yesterday, he will be ready for work.

Mr. Oscar Lynch yesterday returned from an extensive trip East and North, in the course of which he visited seven states. He says he learned in the course of his wanderings that Fort Worth is the best advertised city in Texas—i. e., that is better known and more familiar to the people abroad. The Spring Palace is advertised in all directions, and thousands of people are going to pour in as soon as the excursion trains go into effect. Fort Worth will have to bestir herself to entertain all who will knock at her doors.

Mr. William R. Graham, the president of the Texas State Bee-keepers' association, who resides at Greenville, Texas, was in the city yesterday, and said he: "The Texas State Bee-keepers' association held their thirteenth annual convention at Greenville, Hunt county, on the 7th and 8th of May. All beekeepers are cordially invited to attend. No hotel bills, as arrangements have been made to accommodate all. They will be pleased to hold their next annual meeting here, and have a large display at the Spring Palace during the exhibition next year, if the citizens or the Spring Palace management will offer encouragement sufficient to warrant a hearty welcome."

A Fatal Stabbing.

Special to the Gazette.

SAN MARCOS, TEX., May 3.—During a quarrel here to-night Dill Van Arst, a young man about twenty-two years of age, was stabbed and instantly killed by a young man named Boss. The cause of the trouble is unknown. The murderer escaped.

To Summer in the Big Horn Valley.

Special to the Gazette.

CHEYENNE, WYO., May 3.—A private letter has been received at Buffalo from a member of President Harrison's family stating that the president, with Mrs. Harrison, Private Secretary Halford and Mrs. Halford would visit the Big Horn valley during the summer. The attractions of fishing and hunting in the region, which is unequaled in the West, are the moving cause of the supposed visit.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—8 p. m.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Sunday. The storm that developed on the afternoon of the first in the extreme northwest and moved yesterday and to-day to the lake region, gaining considerable intensity, has merged into the extensive low area extending from Indiana to Texas and Colorado.

For Eastern Texas—Fair, except showers in the extreme northeast portion, variable winds, stationary temperature. For Arkansas—Slightly warmer, erratic winds.